CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

ORDER NO. 77-115

NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0037648

ENFORCEMENT ORDER FOR ISSUANCE OF A TIME SCHEDULE

ORDER DIRECTING THE CENTRAL CONTRA COSTA SANITARY DISTRICT, CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED BY THE CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION, IN ORDER NO. 74-95 (NPDES PERMIT NO. CAOO37648) AS AMENDED BY ORDER NOS. 76-107 AND 77-16

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region (hereinafter Board) finds that:

- 1. This Board on September 17, 1974, adopted Order No. 74-95 prescribing waste discharge requirements including a compliance time schedule for the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District (hereinafter discharger) in accordance with statuatory requirements of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (FWPCA) and the California Water Code. On October 19, 1976, the Board adopted Order No. 76-107 amending Order No. 74-95. On March 15, 1977, the Board further amended the permit by adopting Order No. 77-16. The amended permit contains a compliance date of July 1, 1977, for achieving secondary effluent limitations as required by the FWPCA.
- 2. The discharger has submitted evidence which documents that the requirements contained in amended Order No. 74-95 cannot be achieved in accordance with the amended compliance time schedule. The discharger has experienced delays beyond its control because of strikes, delivery delays, and construction problems.
- 3. The discharger has submitted a time schedule by which it can achieve the requirements contained in amended Order No. 74-95.
- 4. The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to adopt a time schedule for compliance.
- 5. The Board in a public hearing heard and considered all comments pertaining to this discharger's ability to achieve compliance.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that in accordance with Water Code Section 13300, the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District shall meet the requirements of amended Order No. 74-95 by the following time schedules:

1. Compliance with Effluent Limitations A.l.a., b., c., d., e., A.3., A.6. and Receiving Water Limitations B.l.a. and B.l.c.:

a. Task

Compliance Date

Report of Compliance Due

Full compliance

November 15, 1977

November 30, 1977

2. Compliance with Receiving Water Limitation B.2.e.:

Task

Report Due

Submit report documenting compliance under all receiving water conditions for both existing and design flow values. If noncompliance is reported, submit analysis of frequency of violation and time schedule for achieving compliance.

May 1, 1978

3. This Order expires on June 1, 1978.

The Board declares that it shall not undertake further enforcement action to bring the discharger into compliance with final effluent limitations by July 1, 1977, as contained in amended Order No. 74-95 provided:

- a. The discharger complies with all terms of the time schedule contained in this Order;
- b. The discharger complies fully with all terms of the amended permit with the exception of provisions A.l.a., b.,c.,d., A.3., A.6., B.l.a. and B.l.c.
- c. Circumstances do not occur which would warrant modifications of the permit or time schedule; and
- d. Circumstances do not occur which would warrant an action under Section 504 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.

The action taken by this Board pertaining to the time schedule does not preclude the possibility of actions to enforce the permit by third parties pursuant to Section 505 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.

I, Fred H. Dierker, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region, on September 20, 1977.

FRED H. DIERKER
Executive Officer